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Applicant(s): Douglas D. Coolbaugh, et al.				BUR920000142US2 (13891A)	
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10/665,713	09/19/2003	Ahmed N. Sefer	23389	2826	6003


Invention: **STI PULL-DOWN TO CONTROL SIGe FACET GROWTH****COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2004, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry of record in the above-identified patent application.

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